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SWEPT BY A WAVE

Eighty Islands Swept By a Terrible Hurricane

1000 LIVES ARE REPORED AS LOST

Death and Devastation Sweep Over the Islands of the Pacific, and Terrible Consequences Ensue.

San Francisco, Special.—News of a fearful loss of life in a disastrous storm which swept over the South Sea Islands last month, reached here Sunday by the steamer Mariposa, direct from Tahita. The loss of life is estimated at 1,000 persons. On January 13 last, a huge tidal wave, occompanied by a terrific hurricane, attacked the Society Islands and the Puamoto group with fearful force causing death and devastation never before equaled in a land of great storms. The storm raged several days. From the news received up to the time of the sailing of the steamer, it is estimated that 1,000 of the islanders lost their lives. It is feared that later advices will increase this number. The first news of the disaster reached Papeete, Tahiti, January 26, by the schooner Eimeo. The captain of the schooned placed the fatalities at 500. The steamer Excelsior arrived at Papeete the following day with 400 destitute survivors. The captain of the Excelsor estimated the total loss of life to be 800. These figures compsised only the deaths on the three islands of Hao, Hikuera and Makokaa, whose ordinary population is 1,800. On Hikuera Island, where 1,000 inhabitants were engaged in pearl diving, nearly one-half were drowned. On an adjacent island, 1000 more were washed out to sea. Makokan and Hao are depopulated. Conservative estimates at Tahita place the number of islands visited by the tidal wave and hurricane at 80. All of them are under the control of the French governor at Tahita. The surviving inhabitants are left destitute of food, shelter and clothing, all having been swept away by the storm.

The French government, on receipt of news of the disaster, took prompt measures to relieve the distressed districts and dispatched two warships with fresh water and provisions. As the supply of fresh water and provisions was totally exhausted by the storm, it is feared that many lives will be lost before the relief ships can arrive. As fas as is known eight white people were among the drowned. Included in these were Alexander Brander, N. P. Plunkett, of Oakland; T. D. Donnelly, formerly a fireman on the steamship Australia, and the local agent of C. Coppenrath, a merchant of Papeete. Added to this number was an unknown woman who committed suicide from fright.

As the islands were barely 20 feet above sea level and were not surrounded by coral reefs, it was necessary for all inhabitants to take to the cocoanut trees when the tidal wave began to cover the land. These trees grow to an immense height, many reaching an altitude of 100 feet. All of the lower trees were covered by the raging seas which swept with pitiless force about and over them. The natives in the taller trees were safe until the cocoanut roots gave way and then they, too, were swept out into the sea. The 400 survivors brought by the Excelsior to Papeete gained the ship's side by swimming three and four miles from the tops of the cocoanut trees. The Eiemo, though badly damaged by the storm, was also brought off as many persons as could swim to her side, she, like the Excelsior, being unable to run close to the shores because of the violence of the ocean swell, which continued to run abnormally high for a week after the tidal disturbances. Another schooner, the Gaulois, from the Marquesan Islands, 600 miles away, encountered the hurricane while on the way to the latter place and only the timely action of the captain in having the cargo, consisting of 30 head of cattle, 35 pigs and 30 tons of cotton, jettisoned, saved the little craft from destruction. Even with this precaution, the life of one man was lost by waves sweeping the decks.

Earthquakes in Middle West.

Owensboro, Ky., Special.—A distinct earthquake shock was felt here at 6:45 o'clock Sunday night. Pictures were shaken from walls and tables in the second story of many buildings.

Louisville, Ky.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here at about 6:45. The vibrations caused windows to rattle, but no damage was done.

Paducoah, Ky.—A slight earthquake shock occurred here about 6:45 o'clock Sunday night. No damage was done and the duration of the vibration was very brief.

The Shock Felt in Illinois.

Cairo, Ill.—An earthquake shock was felt in southern Illinois Sunday evening. The seimisic wave seemed to move from north to south.

Marion, Ill.—An earthquake shock was felt here. Preceding the shock a roaring noise was heard.

Dishes Rattled in St. Louis.

St. Louis.—Two distinct earthquake shocks were felt in St. Louis and vicinity between 6:20 and 6:25 o'clock Sunday night. The shock was sufficiently forceful to rattle dishes and swing doors.

Death of Maj. Donaldson,

Baltimore, Special. — Major Walter A. Donaldson, superintendent of the National Cemetery in this city, died Saturday from blood poisoning, as a result of a slight wound on his head. Donaldson was also a veteran actor and played with Junius Brutus Booth in 1853. In previous years, since the civil war, he had been superintendent of national cemeteries at Antietan, Marietta, Ga.; Winchester Va., City Point, Va., and Beaufort, S. C.

DEATH OF CONGRESSMAN MOODY.

North Carolina Member Passes Away —Honored By Senate.

Asheville, N. C., Special.—Congressman J. M. Moody died at his home in Waynesville Thursday at 1:45 o'clock. The news of Major Moody's death came as a shock. He had been ill for several weeks in Washington before he returned to Waynesville last Saturday morning. Part of his time he was in a Washington hospital, and when it was seen how really serious his condition was it was suggested by his physician that he go home and take a rest from his congressional work. It was thought also that the damp weather at the capital was injurious to him, and that when he returned to the high, dry and healthy atmosphere to which he was accusctomed he would recuperate.

Major Moody was here last Friday night. He was in very bad health. Dr. J. Howell was his attending physician. A message from Waynesville to the Citizen said that Major Moody had been in bad health for three years, although it was not known to the public. He has been critically ill for four days. The immediate cause of his death was congestion of the lungs. About three o'clock Thursday morning he lost consciousness and did not regain it up to the time of his death.

Major Moody was 44 years old. He leaves a wife and six children. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. E. Abernethy, of the Methodist church of Waynesville, of which Major Moody was a member, will conduct the services. The Knights of Pythias and Royal Arcanum, of which the congressman was a member, will attend.

Washington, Special. — Representative Kluttz received a telegram from Waynesville, announcing the death of Representative James M. Moody at his home in Waynesville, shortly after 1 o'clock Thursday. Mr. Kluttz immediately announcetd the death of his colleague in the House, and the usual resolutions of regret were adopted. Speaker Henderson named the following committee to attend the funeral: Messrs. Kluttz, Claude Kitcin, Blackburn, Pou and Small of North Carolina, Brownloe and Gibson of Tennessee, Tate of Georgia, Finley and Johnson of South Carolina, Lamb of Virginia, Haugen of Iowa, Henry of Connecticut, Randall of Texas and Cooner of Missouri.

The Senate adjourned Friday afternoon at 3:20, two hours in advance of the usual time, out of respect to the memory of the late Representative James H. Moody. Senator Simmons called up the House resolution passed Thursday in honor of the memory of the deceased and referred in appropriate words to the demise of Mr. Moody. The Senate unanimously adopted the House resolutions and as a further evidence of respect adjourned on motion of Senator Simmons. In the House this morning the blind chaplain, Rev. M. Couden, referred in touching language to the deceased Representative. The desk which he occupied was heaped with a beautiful floral offering. From the capital building the flags floated at half mast.

The Cotton Supply.

New Orleans, Special.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton shows the total visible to be 4,022,263 bales, against 4,097,955 last week and 4,451,718 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 3,093,263, against 3,204,955 last week, and v,541,718 last year, and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 929,000, against 893,000 last week and 910,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,989,000 bales, against 2,323,000 last year; in Egypt, 190,000, against 244,000 last year; in India, 427,000, against 395,000 last year, and in the United States, 1,989,000, against 1,647,000 last year.

Convention Adjourns.

Gainesville, Fla., Special.—The morning session of the convention of county superintendents of public instruction and general educational board was consumed in the discussion of school buildings and equipment. The afternoon session was devoted to negro education and how it should be conducted. After 4 o'clock the visitors were tendered a drive through Gainesville and the near-by country. Prof. Bucholz and Dr. Buttrick of the general educational board, addressed the convnetion at night on general education, after which the convention adjourned.

Police Chief Shot.

Bamberg, S. C., Special—Chief of Police J. B. King was shot and killed by Joe Davis, at the latter's home. King, it is said, went to Davis' house at the instance of Davis' wife. The latter had quarreled with her husband and desired him to be placed under a peace bond. As King entered Davis ordered him to stop. King advanced and tapped on the door when Davis shot him from a window with a shot-gun, killing him.

Presidential Nominations.

Washington, Special.—The President has sent the following nominations to the Senate: .. K. McDonnough, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the Philippine Islands; Willis Van Deventer, of Wyoming, United States Circuit judge for the eighth judicial circuit. Clinton F. Irwin, of Illinois Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Oklahoma.

FIREMAN PERISHED

Many Suffocated By Fumes From the Burning Acid

MEN DEAD AND ILL AS A RESULT

The Illness Due to Inhaling Fumes of the Deadly Nitric Acid From the Stamp and Seal Company.

Milwaukee, Special.—Four firemen are dead and nine others are said to be seriously ill from the effects of inhaling the fumes of nitric acid while fighting a fire at the plant of the Schwab Stamp and Seal Company Tuesday night. The victims of the disaster were not overcome for many hours after the fire, when one by one, they succumbed.

A complete list of the dead and seriously injured is as follows: Dead: James Foley, chief; Andrew White, captain truck No. 1; Edward Hogan, pipeman, Engine Company No. 1; Thomas Droney, pipeman, Engine Company No. 1. Seriously injured: Daniel McCarthy, truckman, Engine Company No. 1. The following will probably recover: William Meloy, George Hanranan, William Kennedy, John Linehan, Jos. Nunwash, George Ryan, all truckmen and Jack J. Hennessey, lieutenant. Assistant Chief Clancey's condition is critical and the physicians who are watching over him cannot determine his chances of living.

Captain Peter Lancaster is dying and Truckman William Meloy and William Kennery are seriously ill. The men became ill and rapidly grew worse. Doctors worked over them, but Captain Lancaster appeared to be dying and a priest was sent for and the last rites of the Catholic church administered. It was hoped Palmer and Meloy would recover.

$250,000 Fire in an Oklahoma Town.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Special.—Fire that started in the Lion Store, dealers in general merchandise, here, caused a loss of $250,000. The insurance is about one-third of the loss. The entire stock and building of the Lion Store was consumed, entailing a loss of more than $17,500. Another fire in a frame building on broadway at the same time caused additional loss.

News Notes.

The Kaiser has issued a decree which is the death knell to the black overcoat of the German officer. After April 1 only the light gray overcoats are admissible. These are worn a good deal already, but many officers still prefer the black coat with its near red collar and cuffs. His Majesty decides upon the uniforms of all his many regiments—not a button or inch of gold braid but has the Kaiser's consideration and sanction or disapproval.

In a recent contest for suggesting the best way to make $5 grow the prize was awarded to a man who advised that the amount be invested in eggs for hatching. He cited, among other things the case of a boy who exchanged a penny for an egg, and this egg grew, successively, into a hen, six chickens, a pig, a calf, and a pony, with bride and saddle.

Agents of Germany are seeking to buy warships from Chile.

The first part of the French Army budget was adopted in the Paris Chamber of Deputies amid a patriotic demonstration.

The British Channel Squadron is experimenting with oil as fuel.

Fifteen sailors were lost in a collision between the British torpedo-boat destroyer Orwell and the cruiser Pioneer near Corfu.

The White Star liner Cedric, the largest ship in the world, left Belfast for Liverpool on her trial trip.

Brigands are creating a reign of terror in the Caucasus.

To Purchase Beauvoir.

Jackson, Miss., Special.—Ten thousand dollars, the amount required for the purchase of Beauvoir, the old home of Jefferson Davis, former President of the Southern Confederacy, was subscribed at a meeting of the Beauvoir committee of the Sons of Confederate Veterans in this city. It is said that a deed will be granted by Mrs. Davis in a few days.

Two Women Hanged.

London, Special.—Amelia Sach and Annie Walters, "baby farmers," were hanged at Holloway jail Tuesday. The woman were recommended to mercy on account of their sex, but the Home Secretary was unable to grant the reprieve usually accorded. The women walked to the scaffold unaided and displayed remarkable fortitude. No woman had previously been hanged in England since March, 1900.

Roosevelt Invited.

Washington, Special. — President Roosevelt received an invitation Wednesday to attend the unveiling of the monument to be erected at Orchard Knob, on the Chicamauga battlefield, in commemoration of the services of Maryland soldiers on both sides of the civil war. The monument commission, headed by Col. B. F. Taylor, of Baltimore county, was presented to the President by Senator McComas. The President was shown a handsome water-colored drawing of the monument, the unveiling of which will take place on July 22nd next. He gave no definite reply to the invitation, saying that he would take the matter under consideration.

For Liberian Scheme.

Atlanta, Special.—The republic of Liberia, through Bishop H. M. Turner, of this city, has donated to the Colored National and Commercial Association the sum of $25,000 to assist in purchasing a steamship to ply between the United States and West Africa, for commercial purposes, as well as for emigration. It is the bishop's desire that white as well as colored people purchase shares in this enterprise, and assist negroes who wish to remove to Liberia.

IN CONGRESS

A Hard Fight Against All Anti-Trust Legislation.

Washington, Special.—It can be stated by authority that unless anti-trust legislation, at least satisfactory to the administration, is enacted at the present session, President Roosevelt, on the 5th of March, will call an extraordinary session of the Fifty-eighth Congress. The President himself has already informed members of Congress of his desire and of his determination in this regard. It is understood that the announcement was direct and unqualified. It is further stated that the determination of the President was reached only after careful study of the strenuous efforts that are being made to defeat any anti-trust legislation by Congress. These efforts have covered a wide range. They were characterized Saturday by one prominent Republican leader, to quote him directly, "as the most remarkable of which I have had personal knowledge during my public life." These efforts culminated during the past 36 hours, it is now declared, in direct appeals from the Standard Oil Company, through its president, Mr. John D. Rockefeller, to the members of the Senate not to enact any anti-trust legislation at this time. No less than6 United States Senators have received telegrams signed "John D. Rockefeller," urging that no anti-trust legislation be enacted. It has not been possible to obtain a copy of these dispatches, which it can be said, are practically identical. Substantially they read as follows:

"We are opposed to any anti-trust legislation. Our counsel, Mr. ——, will see you. It must be stopped."

As stated, these telegrams, and it must be clear that only the substance and not the exact wording is here given, were signed, "John D. Rockefeller."

Yesterday morning one of the counsel of the Standard Oil Company arrived in Washington, and called immediately upon members of the Senate as indicated in the telegrams. He did not remain long. Scarcely had he made known his business than he was informed, a bit curtly, that his presence here was undesirable and he left with an intimation that he would better return to New York.

During the afternoon, information concerning the receipt of the messages leaked out and became the subject of some quiet cloak room discussion at the Senate. The news also reached the House, some of the prominent Representatives learning the gist of the dispatches. Then it became known that this was not the first time the Standard Oil Company, through its attorneys, had endeavored to influence legislation in Congress at this session. The attorneys for the company, it was stated, had opposed vigorously the enactment of the measure submitted by Attorney General Knox to the sub-committee of the House judiciary committee. Subsequently, when what is known as the Littlefield bill was reported to the House, it can be said on the best of authority, that the Standard Oil Company's counsel began to devote their opposition particularly to the Nelson amendment to section 6 of the Department of Commerce bill—the amendment which contains practically the publicity features of the Knox anti-trust bill. They did not want that incorporated in the measure, and, it is said, used their utmost efforts to prevent its favorable consideration. They were unsuccessful, as the bill, with that amendment, was agreed upon unanimously Saturday by the conferees of the two branches of Congress. The action of the conferees was received, it is understood, with satisfaction by the officials of the administration, and it is regarded as a long and essential step toward the kind of anti-trust legislation that both the anti-trust and Knox bill advocate, the legislation, particularly that the Standard Oil Company so vigorously objects to and which it is hoped might be headed off, or emasculated, through the appeals made to Senators before it reached the stage of actual passage.

It is said by authority that the administration hopes the Elkins rebate bill, which was passed by the Senate this week, will be passed also by the House. While this measure, too, is opposed by those who are in favor of no trust legislation, the special opposition to it does not come from the Standard Oil Company, because it is explained, that corporation has grown beyond any effects the enforcement of such legislation might have upon it. The President, it is understood, regards the Elkins bill as essential to a rounding out of the administration's plan for anti-trust legislation, and it is believed by those in close touch with him and with the conditions in Congress that it may be enacted into law.

Saturday the efforts being made to defeat, or emasculate pending anti-trust legislation formed the basis of some animated conferences. Indeed, the subject is likely to be developed in some detail in Congress. One of the recipients of the agreement signed by "John D. Rockefeller," said: "No such formidable weapon ever has been put in the hands of one man by another in a legislative contest, as was put in my hands by the sender of that telegram. If necessary I will rise in my place in the Senate and read it. Then we will see whether any votes are to be recorded against the legislation against which these efforts are being directed."

Sentenced to Prison.

Washington, Special.—In closing up the fiscal accounts of the Philippine government for the past fiscal year it was discovered that the accounts of James F. Behan, disbursing officer for the board of health for the Philippines were in great confusion and upon demand of Auditor Lowshe, he was arrested and tried on charges of forgery and duplication of public documents and sentenced to imprisonment for 12 years. Behan, who is from Massachusetts was appointed in 1891.

OUR LEGISLATURE.

Doings of Those Who Are Making Our Laws.

Against Kissing Bible.

In the Senate Wednesday the judiciary committee offered a substitute for Senator Godwin's bill to prohibit the kissing of the Bible. The substitute instead of prohibiting kissing the Bible simply abolished the necessity of kissing the book. Dr. Pollock objected to these innovations, people had been kissing the Book here for 200 years and if these microbes had now got into the Bible he thought that it was time to stop. People could get a new Bible. Mr. Henderson explained the bill and the sustitute. He was not an expert on microbes, but he read that there were 10,000,000 in a pound of cherries and he was sure there were many more on a Bible cover handled by indiscriminate crowds. He did not think the change would detract from the solemnity of the matter. Mr. Godwin, patron of the bill, argued for it. The only thing stricken out by the bill from The Code was "and he shall kiss the Holy Gospel." Most people did not kiss the book now but ladies and children obeyed the judge when he says "kiss the Book." Mr. Wellborn opposed the bill. Mr. Hicks, of Granville, said that the court house kiss was not the kiss of affection and the witness was not expected to take half the Book in his mouth. Mr. Granville said there was a "white supremacy" Bible, the judge having ordered one Bible for colored people and one for white. He appealed to the Senate not to destroy this old landmarks but he wanted the landmarks clean. Now if a man really obeyed the judge he would have to violate the rule of personal cleanliness. He did not think it possible to keep a court house Bible clean. Mr. White said he would naturally be opposed to restricting kissing but he favored this bill because he thought it would promote health. Kissing was growing unpopular, observed Mr. Baldwin. Men formerly kissed each other and now some States wanted to license kissers. He thought the right way in which the oath was administered was often responsible for perjury. He plead for preserving the old custom. Mr. Marshall said that the men who would tell a wilful lie would swear one. He sent an amendment to strike out "so help me God," and substitute "in the presence of the Almighty." Mr. Mitchell moved to lay on the table. This failed. The committee's substitute was adopted. Mr. Marshall withdrew his amendment. The bill then passed second reading and went over upon Mr. Mitchell objecting to its third reading.

In the House Wednesday the Watts temperance bill was favorably reported with amendments and made a special order for Tuesday next.

A number of petitions and bills were introduced, the most important being.

An act to prevent the spreading of contagious disease among domestic animals.

An act to prevent the seduction and abduction of married women.

An act to protect timber dealers.

NEW BILLS.

Among the new bills in the house Mr. Clifton, to amend the code in reference to demurrers.

Mr. Wade, to outlaw slot machines.

Mr. Sinkler, by request, to provide for a State bacteriologist; also a bill to require towns and cities to furnish mortuary statistics.

Mr. Gaston, relating to increase in salary of coroner of Chester.

Mr. Hill, to increase number of magistrates of Colleton county.

Mr. Rainsford, to provide for the sale of the State farms.

Mr. Kelly, relating to a new jail for Lee county.

Mr. Moses, to change and designate certain townships in Sumter county.

Mr. McMaster, to extend the rights and remedies of employes of railroad corporations as provided by the constitution to employes of cotton and textile mill corporations and telegraph companies.

There were a majority unfavorable reports on Mr. Lanham's bill to require railroads to allow each pasenger 200 pounds of baggage without charge, and Mr. M. J. Johnson's bill to provide all railroads operating in this State to protect the rates of freight stipulated in the bill for carriage of all freight, goods wares and merchandise, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

There was also an unfavorable report on Mr. Mauldin's bill to provide against usury.

Mr. Pollock's dispensary bill was recommitted to the joint committee on public schools and the dispensary. This bill proposes radical changes in the dispensary law.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS, ETC.

Mr. Kirby's bill to regulate the granting of certificates to teach in the free public schools came up as unfinished business and was killed.

Mr. D. O. Herbert opposed the bill. It is an abrupt and unnecessary junketing trip for the State board of education. It also means that graduates of normal colleges must stand these examinations when the object of normal colleges is to prepare teachers for their work. He objected particularly to members of the State board of education traveling around over the state granting certificates. He objected to giving college graduates merely one-year certificates.

Mr. Kirby defended the bill on the same line of his speech Monday. Mr. Herbert had endeavored to find all the bad points in it, but had overlooked the good features.

Mr. Fraser opposed the bill. The advantages of a college education do not consist in the knowledge of a number of isolated facts, but in the training of the mind to fit itself to work. There is but one examination for doctors and in other professions. then why should teachers be subjected to such harrassing examinations every few years.

Mr. Barron, of York, opposed the bill. In behalf of the most legislated against class in the State, the common school teachers who gets a miserable pittance for five days' hard work, he opposed the measure. Qualifications to teach do not consist in the knowledge of a few facts, but in common sense, patience and general intelligence. There is already a paucity of teachers in this State and such requirements as this will still further cripple the profession. This was Mr. Barron's first effort in the house, and he acquitted himself very well.

Mr. Richards declared that the bill had been reported unfavorably by all of the committee except the author of the bill.

The house killed the bill by an overwhelming vote.

There was considerable discussion over a concurrent resolution to provide offices in the State capitol for the State superintendent of education. The resolution was killed on motion of Mr. Moses.

Mr. Wingo contended that it was "side tracking" this official to have his offices on Main street. Mr. Moses replied that these offices are really more comfortable and as accessible as those in the State house.

Governor Heyward informed the house that Lieut.-Gov. John T. Sloan had resigned from the board of trustees of the South Carolina college. Received as information.

The house killed Mr. Wade's bill to provide for the office of commissioner of agriculture to receive $1,800 per annum out of the privilege tax fund. The house did not seem to be much interested.

Mr. Wade declared that agricultural interests are lagging, and the only salvation is diversified farming. This is an agricultural State, but the agricultural interests are neglected. Clemson College has not come up to its expectations. Commissioner Stevens is worth a million dollars a year to Georgia. He cited instances in which farmers had made great success with innovations in farming. The average farmer is a "slow coach" and doesn't catch on to ideas quickly. They don't subscribe to agricultural papers. We need a bureau where outsiders can get information. This is a very serious question and a very important matter. The salary of the commissioner, $1,800 was to come out of the privilege tax fund and he thought this a mere bagatelle in comparison with the good it would do.

Mr. Tatum supported the measure.

The bill was killed by an overwhelming vote.

Thursday's Session.

Thursday the compulsory school law was considered.

THE BILL.

The features of the bill which passed the third reading are as follows:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any parent or guardian living in this State to neglect or refuse to cause or compel any person or persons who are or may be under their control as their children or wards, to attend and comply with the rules of some one or more public or private school or schools, for a term of eight weeks or more, during each successive year from the time said children or wards are eight years old until they are 12 years old, inclusive, unless they may be prevented by illness or reside more than two miles from a school house, or by reason of already being proficient from attending such public or private schools, and provided that in such case they shall be excused by the board of trustees of the school district in which said children or wards may live at the time of such failure to attend such public or private school or schools.

Sec. 2. That any person or persons violating this act shall be subject to a fine of not less than five dollars, nor more than twenty dollars for each and every offense. Said fine shall be imposed by any court of justice having jurisdiction on sufficient evidence of the same being furnished by two or more creditable witnesses, and all fines so collected shall be placed in the school fund of the school district in which the fines are collected: Provided, That no prosecution shall be instituted under this act except upon the affidavit of one of the trustees of the school district in which the offending parent or guardian resides, and such affidavit may be made on information and belief.

BIENNAL SESSIONS.

Mr. Raysor's bill providing for biennial session of the general assembly passed a third reading and was sent to the house.

Saturday's Session.

Saturday's session in the House was featureless, a great many members having gone home on leave of absence. The Senate took up a few third reading bills, and a number of enacted laws were ratified.

Local Option Wins.

White River Junction, Vt., Special.—The advocates of local option carried the State and after more than half a century of prohibition cities and towns of Vermont will after March 1, be permitted to decide whether or not intoxicating liquors shall be sold in those communities. The total vote with seven small towns missing is 30,586 in favor of a license law, and 28,946 opposed. The missing towns gave a tatal vote of less than 300 at the last election. It is a coincidence thtt Vermont voted for prohibition in 1853 by 1,500 majority.

Our Losses in Spanish War.

The United States employed 274,717 men in the war with Spain. Her total losses were 107 officers and 2,803 men.

The cold key is one of the best remedies for stopping nosebleed.

SOUTHERN INDUSTRIAL

Drainage.

In asking the South Carolina legislature for an appropriation to continue its work, the sanitary and drainage commission of Charleston county has made an interesting report of its progress in reclaiming 15,000 acres of lowlands near Charleston. At a cost of a little more than $5,141 about 8,036 acres have been drained, and the commission reports that that territory is now perfectly healthy, and it asserts that the mere reduction of the number of mosquitoes which had been bred in the ponds and morasses has been of incalculable benefit to the health of that section. The commission states that the work is now approaching a section of the county which has been for years considered the mos lawless. Drainage will make the territory healthy and permit its occupation by law-abiding whites, so that it will be sanitary both from the physical and moral standpoint. The undoubted good results already obtained through this drainage work ought to encourage its prosecution of completion and lead to a more general movement for the reclamation of other such waste lands in the South.

A 10,000-Spindle Addition.

One of the most successful cotton mills in the South, and one of which the public hears little, is that conducted by the Odell Manufacturing Co. at Concord, N. C. This company held its anunal meeting last week and the reports of the management presented some interesting facts regarding the enterprise. The company declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent., charged off $50,000 for wear and tear of machinery (making $100,000 for this purpose in two years), and added an amount to its surplus fund, increasing same to about $270,000. The stockholders also authorized at the meeting the issuance of additional stock to the amount of $100,000, almost all of which was subscribed at once. This new capital will be expended on the erection and equipment of an addition to contain 10,000 spindles. Its product will be fine yarns up to 60s. The Odell plant at present has 30,000 ring spindles and 1,726 looms, and its capital before this increase was $500,000. It uses about 10,000 bales of cotton annually, and during 1902 manufactured 21,694,413 yards of cloth.

Textile Notes.

C. B. Somerville and associates were mentioned recently as having purchased Armstrong Knitting Mills at Charlottesville, Va., as to operate same and introduce the manufacture of overalls in connection with the mill. They have organized H. C. Marchant Manufacturing Co. to carry out their plans, H. C. Merchant being president; R. P. Valentine, vice-president; C. B. Somerville, secretary, and W. O. Watson, treasurer. This company will knit men's, women's and children's ribbed underwear and manufacture overalls, adding 100 sewing machines for this purpose.

Berkley Knitting Mills, Berkley, Va., has completed improvements that have been in progress. The main building has been doubled, making it 90x 120 feet in size. It is two stories high. Considerable new machinery was also put in position. This mill manufactures high -grade ladies' underwear finished with silks. Several of the twenty-five assortments produced are lisle thread.

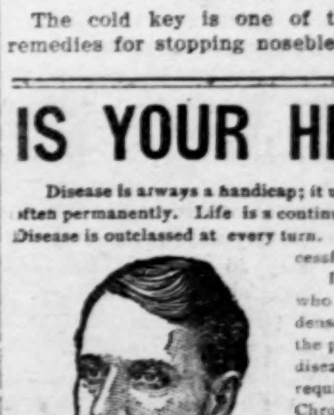
Messrs. W. I. Wellman and T. W. Pratt, president of banks at Huntsville, Ala., have been in New York during the past week negotiating with a party of capitalists for the erection of a large cotton factory at Huntsville. It was reported some weeks ago that New York parties contemplated locating a $400,000 mill at Huntsville.

H. Kaulfers, representing Valentine Bliss of Scranton, Pa., has announced that his principal will establish a branch silk-throwing mill at Roanoke, Va., investing about $10,000. It is sad the plant will employ about 150 persons. Valentine Bliss operates three mills in Pennsylvania, the Scranton plant having 58,600 spindles.

E. L. Shuford Manufacturing Co., Brookford, N. C., contemplates adding 11,000 spindles and 300 looms to its equipment. If it is definitely decided to purchase this additional machinery the new spindles and looms will be purchased from an idle mill in New York. The Shuford plant now has 7,500 spindles and 200 looms.

IS YOUR HEALTH VALUABLE?

Disease is always a handicap; it unfits men for business and pleasure—sometimes temporarily often permanently. Life is a continuous struggle, and the man or woman afflicted with a Chronic Disease is outclassed at every turn. In this age of sharp competition, no man can hope to be successful unless sound in mind and body.



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No. [ALLIED PRINTING TRADES UNION LABEL COUNCIL RALEIGH N.C.] 11.

We are glad to see that Senator Pritchard has solved the Wilson post-office affair by recommending Dr. Person for postmaster. We learn that the Democratic Redshirt Machine of Wilson are fighting Dr. Person's confirmation on the ground that he is a man of "violent temper and dangerous" etc. This evidently means that the machine considers him to be a man of such character and courage that they can neither use him nor intimidate him; and therefore, their opposition on this ground should be their strongest recomendation.

Dr. Person has been in the forefront of all the political contests in Wilson county. He has the confidence of the people of all parties; is a man of good family and high character, and deserves the position. It is natural that the redshirt mach-should desire either Vick, the negro for postmaster, or some weakneed white man whom they could either use or intimidate or at least whose conrage and strength of character they would have no cause to fear.

The whole state will hear with deep regret of the sudden and untimely death of ex-Congressman Moody of Waynesville. He left Washington a few days ago suffering with an attack of grip, and threatened with what seemed to be pneumonia. He died of congestion of the lungs. He was a rugged mountaineer with considerable talent and served acceptably in several legislatures of the state, made a good record as Major in the Spanish War, and was just finishing his first term in Congress.

We clip the following from one of our exchanges:

"W. A. Dunn, of Scotland Neck, in his argument before the committee while the London Liquor bill was being heard said: "I am a democrat, and have always been. I voted when I was fifteen years of age: we learn that in Halifax county."

And, lo, this sweet scented—advocate of righteous wound up by saying, "the Democratic party has always been the party of morality."

Ye Gods! What shall we expect next?"

The Elizabeth City North Carolina makes the following pertinent remark:

"The Wilson Democrats who in 1898 and 1900 clamored so long and loud for white supremacy have now reached that stage where you have to hold their mouth open and pour it down them."

An exchange takes this view of the feelings of two of the defeated candidates for the Senatorship:

"Watson evidently has that "tired feeling."

As for Craig he can go home and ruminate upon the promises of the Simmons machine and glorious flogging he received at the hands of Mr. Pritchard in the last campaign"

Senator Doughton has introduced a bill in the senate for $400,000 bond issue of 3 1-2 per cent Bonds and still members of this legislature are constantlg introducing bills to increase salaries, make new offices, and make the State pay money stolen by on individual simply because it was stolen from a domocrat.

Wouldn't the voters and tax-payers of North Carolina feel better if the management of the State Penitentiary would show the people the surplus that the democrats say they have to their credit.

It is posssble that Watson and Craig will get together and try to invent a new "Democratic Machine" They evidently must think that the one now in use is about worn out.

A member of the Legislature has offered a resolution to turn the State Penitentiary into an insane asylum. What an insane idea.

ANOTHER PENITENTIARY SCANDAL

Mr. J. C. L. Bird Makes Grave Charges of Cruelty by Penitentiary Officials.

Col. Olds may disclaim responsibility for the article copied in your paper from The Atlanta Constitution and The News and Observer may declare it a big fake story:" but it was the naked, unvarnished truth. In fact, the author of that article did not do the subject justice, He told only a part of the truth, for the conduct of the penitentiary authorities in removing those convicts at the time, and in the manner it was done, is a shame and a disgrace to a civilized people. The camp where they had been quartered is Twenty-six miles from Marion. The road is the worst road in North Carolina Superintendent Mann had driven over it only a day or two before in the best rig the livery could furnish, and he was loud in his denuciation of the condition of the road. The weather was intensely cold. The streams on the Mitchell side of the mountain were frozen over and the convicts walked across on the ice. Shackled together, two and two they marched over the frozen mud to the top of the mountain. On the McDowell side, it was not frozen hard enough to bear up the weight of a man so the men were forced to march in mud, in the middle of the road, from six inches to two feet deep and wade the streams. As the men dragged one foot after another, a shoe would come off in the mud, the convict would falter to get it but the guard, as I am reliably informed, would jab him with a gun, curse him, and order him to move on. When they arrived in Marion, just before nightfall, after marching 26 miles that day, they were wet and literally bedraggled with mud to above their knees. The shackles that bound them together were covered with frozen mud, and in many instances were large as the arm of a man The mud was so deep that the shackle could not be held above it, and was dragged through it. They were wet, muddy, tired, worn completely out and almost dying. The guards would not allow them to march on the store sidewalks of the town, but kept them in the middle of the muddy streets. Two poor fellows, who had fainted on the way, came in behind the others, one of them faltered in the street, and said he could go no further. He was ordered to move on. A citizen John Yancey, Jr, begged the guard to march the men on the sidewalk, and thus, they were partially relieved. They were marched to the cars, fed on nothing but cold bread and cold fat back. They were given a very small portion of corn whiskey, about a gallon for 160 men. Fifteen to twenty of the men were unable to walk, and were hauled in wagons. In one wagon were five men unable to hold up their heads, so a driver informs me. One of the drivers of the wagon told me that they were given water about twice on the way. Finally, the guard became tired of listening, to the groans and requests for water and told them, "You need a damn good whipping shut your damn mouths.' These men were removed from the wagon at the door of the car. One of them had every appearance of being dead he was stark and stiff, and his face was covered with a cloth. Mr. John A. McDonald, who saw this says he looked like a dead man.

About a month ago, a lot of sick men were brought from the camps and shipped to Raleigh when they arrived at the depot, they were ordered to get out of the wagons. As they did so, from sheer weakness, some of them fell and their faces were buried in mud. They were unable to extaricate themeselves. After a time, a guard ordered the stronger ones to pull those who had fallen out of the mud, and they were laid on the platform of the depot. Mr. Geo. I. White, cashier of the First National Bank saw this sickening sight.

When the convicts were first sent to the road in Mitchell county about a year ago, it was a very cold time. When they reached Tar river, near Spruce Pine, the river was running with mush ice. The convicts were ordered to wade the river, and they did, I am informed by men who say they were present and saw it, that the guards rode acrosss the river on on the backs of the convicts.

There can be no excuse offered why it was necessary to remove those men in such weather. There is no human reason why a number of men who are too sick to hold up their heads should be dumped into a wagon and hauled in such weather and over such roads, 26 miles in one day. Superintendent Mann was conversed, or ought to have been, with the condition of the men under him, he knew what the weather was, and he knew the condition of the roads. The physician in charge it seems might have prevented, for the sake of humanity, the removal of those sick men.

If it was necessary to remove them, certainly any reasonable man knows that 26 miles is too far to march men, shackled together, in one day. One mile is too far to march them through mud as deep as the mud is on that road. Such conduct of the authorities deserves the most severe condemnation, and should be at once investigated. The solicitor of the district, Hon. Joseph F. Spainhour, has been notified of the occurrence, and it's up to him to see what he will do at the next term of our court.

The following gentlemen, among the best men in town, know the truth of the above statements, viz: B. B Price, Geo. I. White, J. G. Neal, W. T. Morgan, D. N. Linson, W. W. Cooper, John Yancey. Jr., R. S. Cooper, W. B. Ratiff, J. A. McDonald, De Brutz Cutler, Dr. G. S. Kirby and a score of others.

Respectfully, J. L. C. Bird,
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1896-7	5,139,272
1897-98	5,951,253
1898-9	6,156,283
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PROPOSED COMPROMISE ON THE STATEHOOD FIGHT EXPECTED TN SETTLE THE QUESTION

Language Accredited to John D. Rockefeller in Telegram Sent by Him to Certain Senators With Reference to Anti-trust Legislation, Standard Oil Company Sends Attorney to Washington, Littlefi ld Anti Trust Bill Passes the House by Unanimous Vote. President Determined to Secure Anti Trust Legislation by this Congress or Will [Call Eftra Session. Venezuelan Controversy Will Probably go the Hague Tribunal.

Special to the Caucasian:

Washington, D. C. Feb. 9: The steering Committee of the Senate has been able to reach a sort of a compromise on the Statehood proposition, which it is expected will meet the views of the Senate, or a considerable majority thereof, during the present week. The compromise plan proposes the admission of two states to be known as Arizona and Oklohoma, the state of Arizona to compromise the new territories of Arizona and New Mexico and the state of Oklohoma to comprise the now territories of Oklohoma and Indian Territory. This differs from the proposition for which Senator Quay and his followers have been fighting for in that it does not admit of single statehood of the territories. The only element of uncertainty is the position which the Democrais will take upon the Republican compromise measure, they heretofore having followed Senator Quay for the single statehood propositon.

A revelation in the nature of a sensation was sprung last week when the substance of a telegram by John D. Rockfeller to certain Senators was made known. The telegram was substantially (though not in the exact words) the following:

We are opposed to any anti-trust legislation. Our counsel M.———, will see you. It must be stopped.

As stated these telegrams were signed John D. Rockefeller. It is stated that the attorney referred to came to Washington, but as soon as he stated his business, was informed that his presence was undesirable.

As the trust legislation stands at present before Congress, a bill known as the Elkins anti-trust bill has passed the Senate which is generally admitted to be harmless. The House last week passed the Littlefield anti-trust measure by an unanimous vote of the House, the Democrats on the final vote after having endeavored in vain to secure certain amendments, voting for the measure. It is not thought, however, that this measure will meet the views of the Senate. Just how earnest the Republican leaders are in their efforts to curtail the trust evil cannot be stated until the joint product of the Senate and House is agreed upon. It can, however be authoritatively stated that the President intends to use all of his influence and power toward securing effective legislation, and that he considers the matter of such vital importance as to call an extra session in order to secure anti-trust legislation if it is not passed during the present session.

The Allies have through their representatives here refused to concede to the guggestions of Mr. Bowen, and the only remaining course is reference of the question in dispute to the Hague tribunal. It is the opinion here that Minister Bowen conducted the negotiations in a most business like and creditable manner.

OUR LEGISLATURE.

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BILLS INTRODXCED

Webb—For the better protection of mechanics, laborers and material men Ordered printed. White—To appropriate $200,000 for the public schools of North Carolina.

The Senate concurred in the House amendment to the bill to provide for the sale of property when there is a contingent remainder and none of the remaindermen are in esse.

Burton—To prohibit dealing in futures in Reidsville, Gilliam—For the prevention of fraudulent trading, requiring the name of the principal partner to be displaysd in the firm name except in incorporated companies.

SPECIAL ORDER

Senate bill to provide for the inspection and sale of cotton seed meal for fertilizers was passed after an amendment by Senator Mitchell.

PASSED THIRD READING

House bill, to allow Clay to subscribe to the capital of the Haiwasee Railway, House bill, to allow Murphy to subscribe to the Hiawassee Railroad. Senate bill authorizing Concord to contract for light.

Senate bill, to amend chapter 645, laws 1901, relating to fowls in Orange.

The Committee on Health reported its substitute for the bill to provide dead bodies for dissection in medical colleges.

The substitute was adopted and the bill passed. This bill as it passed simply gives the colleges the bodies of those who died in jails, penal institutions or are executed and other bodies not claimed by relatives.

NEW BILLS INTRODUCED

Moore—To allow the commissioners of Cumberland to levy a special tax for road improvement.

Phillips—To promote the oyster industry in Brunswick. Wooten; To allow stock to run at large in Lenoir between the 10th of November and the 15th of February. Self—To prevent the destruction of birds in Catawba Self—To provide for an increase of punshment in cases of assault with intent to commit rape. Doughton—To authorize and direct the issue of State bonds to pay off appropriations made by the State and for other purposes. Ray—To amend chapter 409, laws of 1901, relative to the sale of liqor in Yancey.

SENATE MONDAY

Senator Wellborn, of Ashe, gave notice formally of the contest of W M. Buckner against W. E. Griffith, of the Thirty-sixth Senatorial district. It was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

BILLS INTRODUCED

Ballinger—For making and working the public roads in Henderson county. Bellamy—To allow license to be paid for holding festivals in the county of Brunswick. This requires a $10 tax on night festivals. Gilliam—To authorize the removal of cases when the justices of the of the peace dies or becomes incapacitated for the performance before the conclusion of the case. Justice: To provide for tax and penalties on railroad companies and adjustment of tax with such companies as do not discriminate against North Carolina shippers.

Senate bill, relieving State Treasurer B. R. Lacy of $374 embezzled by W. H. Martin, a clerk in his office. The bill passed second reading. Senator Spence, of Moore, opposed the bill declaring it, a dangerous precendent. He said his Republican opponent had charged on the campaign that Mr. Lacy had not paid back this money.

The bill was referred to the Judiciary committee.

PASSED THIRD READING

H. B., to levy a special tax in Sampson to pay expense of small-pox epidemic. S. S., to authorize Guilford to vote on Bonds.

PASSED THIRD READING.

S. B., for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors.

H. B., allowing Toxoway Co. to furnish wines and liquors to guests. H. B, to establish a State prison parole commission.

Walker—To amend section 3784 of The Code, relating to holidays. This makes Saturdays a half holiday for banks.

House bill striking out the word "private" and substituting "public" drunkenness as a punishable offence in Madison.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Graham—A joint resolution to appoint a committee to investigate the cost of converting the penitentiary building into a hospital for insane or other useful purposes. Graham—A resolution in regard to the distribution of the Geo. Peabody fund.

Dobson—To prevent the unjust seizure of crops of tenants by landlords.

Erwin—To prevent overcharges by railroads and other corporations.

Leeper—To protect game in Gaston. Woodard—For the relief of the clerk of Superior Court of Pamlico.

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Sampson CountyC ases Heard

We were unable to learn when the Sampson county cases would be heard before the committee and therefore did not have a correspondent present. We take the following from Saturdays News and Observer·

"Again the Committe on Counties, Cities and Towns discussed Sampson county and its affairs.

Two of the bills concerning that county had previously been reported favorably, these being one to allow the residue of a special tax collected to pay for building a jail to be applied to county purposes, and the levy of a special tax not to exceed 8 1-3 cents on the $100 valuation, 25 cents on the poll, for paying expenses of a small-pox epidemic and the support of the poor.

Mr. H. E. Faison, of Clinton. desired to be heard in opposition to the proposed bills, and hence the reopening of the Sampson affairs. Mr. John Kerr, of Clinton, was present to urge that the bills stand, and Major George E. Butler, county attorney of Sampson, was also present to speak for the bills.

Incidentally it was learned during the meeting that the favorable report on the bills changing the county government of Sampson would not be pressed, but that a rereference of the bills will probably be asked for and an unfavorable report will be made on them. This will leave the county government of Sampson as its voters decreed and this, in part, explains the desire for a change in the two bills regarding financial affairs.

Mr. Falson first addressed the committee. He told of the act passed in 1893 providing for levying a tax to build a jail, and how this tax had increased from 2 cents on the $100 in 1893 to 8 1 3 cents in 1901.

Major Butler explained the financial condition of the county, and in speaking of the increase of the tax rate on the jail bonds said that the small rate was made years before the bonds were due, but that when these began to fall due each year there had to be an incaease. These bonds, not due till 1911, had been paid off, as well as some others not due till 1918. He said that for general expenses the county was in debt, because of bridges swept away and epidemics, and that while there was money on hand it was a residue for special purposes, and it was only desired to use this for general purposes * * *

The committee heard all sides, and then voted to report the bill to use the residue of the jail bonds, about $1,500 for general county expenses and to amend the bill providing for a levy for small-pox epidemic, so that the taxes could only be used for that purpose."

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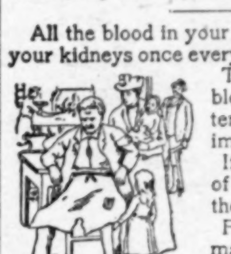

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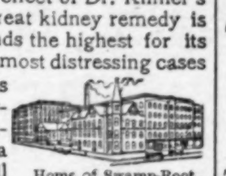

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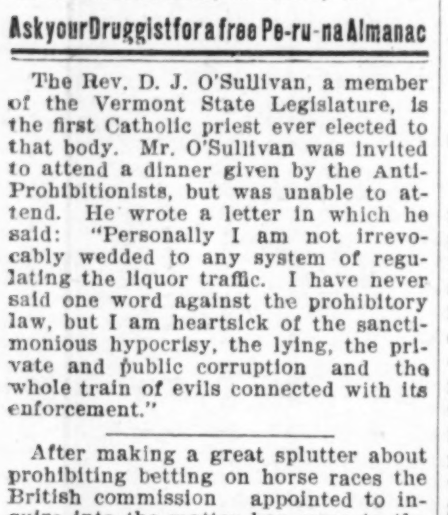

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Judges Differ.

A somewhat singular judicial situation has arisen in Melbourne. At the last session of the Criminal Court the senior puisne judge, Sir Hartley Williams, announced that he had come to the conclusion that first offenders should not be sent to prison. He therefore liberated half a dozen convicts of that class on their own recognizances. This time the chief justice, Sir John Madden, is presiding in criminal jurisdiction, and in sentencing a first offender to ten years' imprisonment he indulged in some sarcastic remarks about the sentimentality of his learned brother. There was never any love lost between these two ermined dignitaries. Sir Hartley publicly protested when Sir John was taken from the bar and placed over his head. But respect for the law suffers when it is a toss-up whether a first offender gets off scot-free or gets ten years.—London Chronicle.

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So. 6.

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Germany possesses seven crematories, the total number of cremations performed at each during the year 1901 being 693. In Great Britain there are seven crematories, in which, during the year 1901, 445 persons were cremated. Italy possesses twenty-two crematories, but statistics as to the number of persons upon whom cremation was performed in 1901 is lacking in some of these. There are three crematories in Switzerland, at one of which 127 cremations were performed in 1901. Sweden possesses two and Denmark one. In Austria-Hungary societies for the promotion of cremation continue to be formed, but the practice of cremation has not yet been legalized. In Madrid the right of cremation has been conferred by a royal decree, while even in Russia the government proposes to issue a decree in favor of making cremation optional. In France a large crematorium is situated in the far-famed cemetery of Paris, Pere la Chaise, in which, since its opening, 2,299 bodies have been cremated. In the United States are twenty-six crematories, twenty-four of which are in operation. A larger number of persons are cremated yearly in the United States than in any other country. In Canada cremation is practically unknown as yet, the only crematorium in the country being one at Montreal.

THE SAYINGS OF CHILDREN.

Queer and Amusing Ideas Formed by the Youngsters.

The queer conceptions of things that come to children cause them to advance such strikingly original ideas that their elders are more than astonished. A little boy who lives down in the country not far from Chicago was driving out through the farm lands with his parents. On the way they passed a place where a house was being erected. The builders had completed the floor of the porch, but had not as yet put up the pillars. The little fellow looked at the house for a minute and then exclaimed:

"Oh, mamma, there's a porch without any handles."

Another little chap, three years old, stepped out into the yard with his mother on a cold evening not long ago. Suddenly he grew silent and then burst out with: "Why, mamma, I'se a-foggin'."

He had been watching his breath freeze in the cold air.

Still, another youngster, this time a little girl, is exceedingly fond of pumpkin pie. All year she has watched diligently for the pumpkins and finally when they arrived this fall her delight knew no bounds. Rushing up to her mother, she begged:

"Mamma, please kill a pumkin and make a ie."

News Notes.

The best ten chapters course of Bible studies, which is being given in the chapel of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, New York city, on Sunday evenings at 7:30 o'clock, is arousing unusual interest. Three hundred and sixty-five persons were present for the study of the fourteenth chapter of John and about the same number of the third chapter of John. Five of the "best ten" chapters are found in John, and the other five represent five other books of the Bible.

After making a great splutter about prohibiting betting on horse races the British commission appointed to inquire into the matter has come to the conclusion that if the law prevents school-boys from indulging in the practice it is about as much as can be expected.

The tunnel which is to furnish pure water to Cleveland from five miles out in Lake Erie is now practically completed, after six years' work, at a cost of $1,250,000. It runs one hundred feet below the lake bottom and is nine feet in diameter. Fifty lives have been lost in this work.

Atlantic Coast Line.

CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

Dated May 5th, 1902.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

	No.23. Daily.	No.35. Daily.	No.103. Daily ex Sun.	No.41. Daily.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Lv Weldon	11 50	9 38	....	....
Ar Rocky Mount	1 00	10 32	....	....
	P.M.			
Lv Tarboro	12 22	....	7 22	....
Lv Rocky Mount	1 05	10 02	7 52	5 41
Lv Wilson	1 59	11 10	8 31	6 24
Lv Selma	2 55	11 59	....	....
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	1 20	....	....
Ar Florence	7 35	3 20	....	....
	P.M.	A.M.		
Ar Goldsboro	....	....	9 10	....
Lv Goldsboro	....	....	....	7 31
Lv Magnolia	....	....	....	8 37
Ar Wilmington	....	....	....	10 16
			P.M.	A.M.

Train No. 49 daily, leaves Rocky Mount at 12 52 p. m., Wilson 2 40 p m, Goldsboro 3 11 p m, Magnolia 4 25 p m, arrives Wilmington 6 p m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No.78. Daily.	No.102. Daily ex.Sun.	No.32. Daily.	No.40 Daily.
	A.M.		P.M.	
Lv Florence	10 05	....	8 05	....
Lv Fayetteville	12 40	....	10 09	....
Lv Selma	2 10	....	11 25	....
Ar Wilson	2 57	....	12 07	....
		A.M.		P.M.
Lv Wilmington	....	....	....	7 00
Lv Magnolia	....	....	....	8 33
Lv Goldsboro	....	7 35	....	9 37
	P.M.	....	A.M.	P.M.
Lv Wilson	2 35	8 20	11 34	10 46
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	9 00	12 10	11 23
Ar Tarboro	....	9 34	....	....
Lv Tarboro	2 31	....	....	....
Lv Rocky Mount	3 50	....	12 43	....
Ar Weldon	4 53	....	1 37	....
	P.M.		A.M.	P.M

Train No, 48, daily, leaves Wilmington 9 05 a m, Magnolia 10 58 a m, Goldsboro 12 26 a m, Wilson 1 18 p m, and arrives at Rocky Mount at 1 53 p m.

Carolina Central Railway, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3:15 p. m., Halifax 3:29 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4:10 p. m., Greenville 5:47 p. m., Kinston 6:45 p. m. Returning leaves Kinston 7:30 a. m., Greenville 8:30 a. m., arriving Halifax at 11:05 a. m., Weldon 11:20 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8:00 a.m., and 1:45 p. m., arrive Parmele 8:55 a. m., and 3:10 p. m., returning leave Parmele 9:15 a. m. and 5:22 p. m., arrive Washington 10:35 a. m. and 6:15 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday 4:35 p. m., Sunday, 4:35 p. m., arrives Plymouth 6:35 p. m., 6:30 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday 7:30 a. m., and Sunday 9:00 a. m., arrives Tarboro 9:55 a. m., 11:00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro daily except Sunday, 5:00 a. m., arriving Smithfield 6:10 a. m., returning leaves Smithfield 7:00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 8:25 a. m.

Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount 9:30 a. m., 4:00 p. m., arrive Nashville 10:20 a. m., 4:23 p.m., Spring Hope 11:00 a. m., 4:46 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 11:20 a. m. 5:15 p. m., Nashville 11:45 a. m., 5:41 p. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 12:10 p m., 6:20 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington, 9:10 a. m., arrives Fayetteville 12:20 p. m., leaves Fayetteville 12:42 p. m. arrives Sanford 1:58 p. m. Returning leaves Sanford 3:05 p. m., arrive Fayetteville 4:20 p. m. leave Fayetteville 4:30 p. m., arrives Wilmington 7:15 p. m.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8:10 a. m., Maxton 9:05 a. m., Red Springs, 9:32 a. m., Parkton 10:41 a. m., Hope Mills 10:55 a. m., arrive Fayetteville 11:10. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4:45 p. m., Hope Mills 5:00 p. m., Red Springs 5:43 p m., Maxton 6:16 p. m., arrives Bennettsville 7:15 p. m.

Connections at Fayetteville with train No. 78 at Maxton with the

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 8:30 a. m. and 4:15 pp. m. Returning leaves Clinton at 7:00 a. m., and 10:00 p. m.

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Time Table No. 28, to take effect Sunday, November 9th, 1902, at 7:05 a. m., Eastern Standard Time. Supersedes Time Table No. 27, of June 8, 1902.

5 Pass. D'ly 1st c	3 Pass. D'ly 1st c	STATIONS	4 Pass. D'ly 1st c.	6 Pass. D'ly 1st c.
A.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.
8 00	3 30 Lv	Goldsboro	Ar 11 05	8 30
f 8 18	f 3 50	Best's	10 43 f	8 08 f
8 26	3 59	LaGrange	10 32	7 57
f 8 37	f 4 10	Falling Creek	10 22 f	7 47 f
8 48	4 22 Ar Lv	Kinston	Lv Ar 10 12	7 37
		Kinston June		
f 9 02	f 4 36	Caswell	9 50 f	7 25 f
9 13	4 43 Ar Lv	Dover	Lv 9 42 Ar 9 40	7 17
		Hines Siding		
9 30	5 03	Core Creek	9 30	7 00
9 50	5 19	Tuscarora	9 20	6 50
f 9 56	f 5 25	Clark's	9 12 f	6 42 f
		Neuse Crossing		
10 10	5 40 Ar 5 50 Lv	New Bern	Lv 9 00 Ar 8 37	6 30
	6 02	James City		
	f 6 15	Riverdale	8 13 f	
	f 6 18	Croatan	8 09 f	
	6 30	Havelock	8 00	
	6 43	Newport	7 46	
	f 6 49	Wildwood	7 39 f	
	f 6 54	Atlantic	7 35 f	
	7 05	Morehead City	7 27	
		Ar Atlantic Hotel Lv		
	7 15 Ar	M. City Depot	Lv 7 05	
A.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

Train No. 9, freight, leaves Newbern at 1 30 pm, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, second-class.

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If such be the unhappy condition of one afflicted with slight skin blemishes, what must be the feelings of those in whom torturing humors have for years run riot, covering the skin with scales and sores and charging the blood with poisonous elements to become a part of the system until death? It is vain to attempt to portray such suffering. Death in many cases might be considered a blessing. The blood and fluids seem to be impregnated with a fiery element which, when discharged through the pores upon the surface of the body, inflames and burns until, in his efforts for relief, the patient tears the skin with his nails, and not until the blood flows does sufficient relief come to cause him to desist.

Thus do complexional defects merge into torturing disease, and piqued vanity give place to real suffering. A little wart on the nose or cheek grows to the all-devouring lupus, a patch of tetter on the palm of the hand or on the limbs suddenly envelops the body in its fiery embrace, a bruise on the leg expands into a gnawing ulcer, which reaches out its fangs to the sufferer's heart in every paroxysm of pain, a small kernel in the neck multiplies into a dozen, which eat away the vitality, great pearl-like scales grow from little rash-like inflammations in such abundance as to pass credulity; and so on may we depict the sufferings to which poor human nature is subject, all of which involve great mental distress because of personal disfigurations.

If there were not another external disease known, eczema alone would be a sufficient infliction on mankind. It pervades all classes, and descends impartially through generations. While some are constantly enveloped in it, others have it confined to small patches in the ears, on the scalp, on the breast, on the palms of the hands, on the limbs, etc., but everywhere its distinctive feature is a small watery blister, which discharges an acrid fluid, causing heat, inflammation, and intense itching. Ring-worm, tetter, scalled head, dandruff, belong to this scaly and itching order of diseases. Psoriasis, our modern leprosy, with its mother-of-pearl scale, situated on a reddened base, which bleeds upon the removal of the scale, is to be dreaded and avoided, as of old. Impetigo, barber's itch, erysipelas, and a score of minor disorders make up in part the catalogue of external diseases of the skin. Thus far we have made no allusion to those afflictions which are manifestly impurities of the blood, viz.: swelling of the glands of the throat, ulcers on the neck and limbs, tumors, abscesses, and mercurial poisons, with loss of hair, because the whole list can be comprehended in the one word scrofula.

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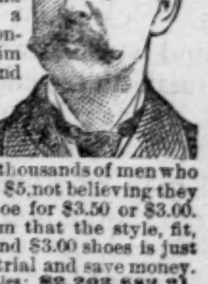

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		Daily No. 57	Daily No. 27
Lv. New York,	P. R. R.	†2 10 pm	12 10 am
Lv. Philadelphia,	" "	4 46 pm	7 20 am
Lv. Baltimore,	" "	7 10 pm	9 31 am
Lv. Washington,	W.S.Ry.	8 50 pm	10 46 am
Lv. Richmond,	S. A. L.	12 32 am	2 15 pm
Lv. Petersburg,	" "	1 12 am	2 52 pm
Lv. Norlina,	"	3 18 am	4 54 pm
Lv. Henderson,	"	3 46 am	5 18 pm
Lv. Raleigh,	"	5 25 am	6 27 pm
Lv. Southern Pines,	"	7 30 am	8 10 pm
Lv. Hamlet,	"	8 45 am	9 50 pm
Lv. Columbia, ‡	"	11 00 am	12 15 am
Ar. Savannah,	"	2 15 pm	4 55 am
Ar. Jacksonville,	"	7 40 pm	9 15 am
Ar. St. Augustine	"	9 35 pm	10 10 am
Ar. Tampa,	"	6 45 am	6 00 pm
		No. 33	No. 41.
Lv. New York, N.Y.P. & N.	†	7 55 am	8 55 pm
Lv. Philadelphia,	"	10 16 am	11 21 pm
Lv. New York, O.D.S.S.Co	†	3 00 pm	....
Lv. Baltimore, B. S.P.Co.		....	† 6 30 pm
Lv. Wash'ton, N.&W.S.B.		....	6 30 pm
Lv. Portsmouth,	S. A. L.	9 45 pm	9 25 am
Lv. Weldon,	"	12 35 am	11 55 am
Lv. Norlina	"	3 18 am	1 40 pm
Lv Henderson,	"	3 16 am	2 10 pm
Lv. Raleigh,	"	5 15 am	4 00 pm
Lv. Southern Pines,	"	7 35 am	6 30 pm
Lv. Hamlet,	"	8 50 am	9 00 pm
Lv. Wilmington,	"	....	4 30 pm
Ar. Charlotte,	"	11 40 am	11 10 pm
Lv. Chester,	"	12 01 pm	11 50 pm
Lv. Greenwood,	"	2 59 pm	2 05 am
Lv. Athens,	"	5 19 pm	4 15 am
Ar. Atlanta, ‡	"	6 40 pm	5 15 am
Ar. Augus'a, C. & W. C.		5 10 pm	....
Ar. Macon, C. of Ga.		12 20 am	11 10 am
Ar. Montgom'ry, A.&W.P.		3 30 am	10 55 am
Ar. Mobile, L. & N.		....	4 12 pm
Ar. New Orleans, L. & N.		....	8 25 pm
Ar. Nashville, N. & St.L.		6 40 am	6 55 pm
Ar. Memphis,	"	4 00 pm	8 45 am

NORTHWARD.

		Daily No. 32	Daily No. 34
Lv. Memphis, N.C.& St.L.		12 45 noon	8 00 pm
Lv. Nashville,	"	9 50 pm	9 30 am
Lv. New Orleans, L. & N.		8 10 pm	....
Lv. Mobile, L. & N.		12 49 am	....
Lv. Montgom'ry, A.&W.P.		6 45 am	1 00 pm
Lv. Macon, C. of Ga.		8 00 am	4 35 pm
Lv. Augusta, C. & W. C.		10 10 am	....
Lv. Atlanta, ‡	S. A. L.	12 00 noon	8 10 pm
Ar Athens,	"	2 57 pm	11 25 pm
Ar Greenwood,	"	5 15 pm	2 05 am
Ar. Chester,	"	7 17 pm	4 15 am
Lv. Charlotte,	"	7 15 pm	5 01 am
Lv. Wilmington,	"	4 30 pm	....
Lv. Hamlet,	"	10 25 pm	8 00 am
Lv. Southern Pines,	"	11 18 pm	8 54 am
Lv. Raleigh,	"	1 20 am	11 15 am
Lv. Henderson,	"	2 52 am	12 50 pm
Lv. Norlina,	"	3 35 am	1 45 pm
Lv. Weldon,	"	4 48 am	3 00 pm
Ar. Portsmouth,	"	7 10 am	5 55 pm
Ar. Wash'ton, N.&W.S.B.		....	6 55 am
Ar. Baltimore, B.S.P.Co.		....	† 6 20 am
Ar. New York, O.D.S.S.Co		....	† 5 00 pm
Ar. Phila'phia, N.Y.P.&N	†	5 46 pm	5 10 am
Ar. New York,	"	8 15 pm	8 00 am
		No. 50	No. 66
Lv. Tampa,	S. A. L. Ry.	8 00 pm	8 30 am
Lv. St. Augustine	"	6 40 am	6 40 pm
Lv. Jacksonville,	"	9 00 am	7 50 pm
Lv. Savannah	"	1 30 pm	12 10 am
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Lv. Hamlet,	"	10 25 pm	8 45 am
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Lv. Norlina	"	3 31 am	1 55 pm
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Ar. Richmond,	"	6 10 am	4 55 pm
Ar. Washington,	W.S.Ry.	9 50 am	8 34 pm
Ar. Baltimore,	P.R.R.	10 5 am	11 25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia,	" "	12 54 pm	2 56 am
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Eating in Old Times.

The Romans took their meals while lying upon low couches, and not until the time of Charlemagne was a stand used around which guests were seated on cushions, while the table only made its appearance in the middle ages, bringing with it benches and backs. The Greeks and Romans at from a kind of porringer. During a portion of the middle ages, however, slices of bread cut round took the place of plates. The spoon is of great antiquity, and many specimens are in existence that were used by the Egyptians so early as the seventeenth century B. C. The knife, though very old, did not come into common use as a table utensil until after the tenth century. The fork was absolutely unknown to both Greeks and Romans, appeared only as a curiosity in the middle ages, and was first used upon the table by Henry III. Drinking cups—in the middle ages made from metal, more or less copious, according to the owner's means—naturally date from the remotest age.—Chicago News.